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SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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SERVICE CHANGES IN OCTOBER.

Appointed.

Abbey, George E., mason (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Bardol, William J., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Burke, T. J., unskilled laborer (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Cady, D., unskilled laborer (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Cady, W. L., carpenter (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Carter, Earl H., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Cogswell, Walter K., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Coleman, James I., tagger, Brightwood, Mass.
Dougherty, Al, agent in scabies eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Dowd, Eugene A., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Drummond, Robert H., veterinary inspector, Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection).
Dumas, Gilbert, painter (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Dunn, Charles W., veterinary inspector, Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection).
Dyer, Jesse A., agent in scabies eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Eddy, C. D., carpenter (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Emmons, Eldred E., tagger, South Omaha, Nebr.
Ewing, Allen J., meat inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Feicker, Paul, meat inspector, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Fifield, Lyman, tagger, National Stock Yards, Ill.
Foyer, Eddy, tagger, Chicago, Ill.
Garrett, George M., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Glaisyer, Ernest L., veterinary inspector, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Golden, George E., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Hardy, Claude, agent in scabies eradication, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Higgins, Daniel J., meat inspector, Chicago, Ill.

Hope, Fred S., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Howe, Arthur L., meat inspector, Boston, Mass.
Hughes, E. J., mason (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Hughes, James, mason (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Jarvis, Charles, painter (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Kastner, John F., meat inspector, National Stock Yards, Ill
Keepers, Robert W., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Kelly, Edw. J., meat inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Krehl, Frederick C., meat inspector, Milwaukee, Wis.
Langworthy, C. G., laborer (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Langworthy, C. H., laborer (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Lauchnor, Paredes U. C., tagger, Philadelphia, Pa.
Lavonche, E., carpenter (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Lavonche, George, carpenter (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Lavonche, Isaac, jr., carpenter (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Leary, John W., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Loescher, David, sr., meat inspector, Chicago, Ill.
McClure, Ellis R., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
McConnell, T. F., expert in animal husbandry, Wyoming Experiment Station, Laramie, Wyo.
McCosh, Samuel, meat inspector, Chicago, Ill.
McCoy, Ellis E., veterinary inspector, Salt Lake City, Utah.
McMullen, Robert H., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Madella, Mrs. Senia W., unskilled laborer (temporary), Washington, D. C.
Mahood, William T., tagger, National Stock Yards, Ill.
Matz, Mrs. Patience G., charwoman, New York, N. Y.
Millen, Charles J., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Morgan, John L., meat inspector, National Stock Yards, Ill.
Morris, C. S., agent in scabies eradication, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Nehls, William, meat inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Norris, Walter P., clerk (stenographer and typewriter), Nashville, Tenn. (field).
O'Brien, Daniel F., meat inspector, Milwaukee, Wis.
Oconol, D., laborer (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
O'Neil, William C., tagger, Chicago, Ill.
Parker, G. F., unskilled laborer, Bethesda, Md.
Pendleton, James B., jr., tagger, Sioux City, Iowa.
Peters, Winfield S., tagger, Pittsburg, Pa.
Pratt, Ray, laborer (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Priest, Benjamin H., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Pritchard, William T., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Reed, Samuel E., meat inspector, Washington, D. C.
Sands, John K., plumber (temporary), Washington, D. C.
Sater, Clinton H., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Sears, John, carpenter (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Shawhan, Sylvan H., scientific assistant in veterinary zoology, Washington, D. C.
Sherk, John L., expert in creamery methods, Albert Lea, Minn.
Smythe, Joseph W., meat inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Steckel, Leopold M., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Taber, A. C., painter (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.
Talbott, Ralston M., agent in scabies eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Troy, Joseph A., tagger, Philadelphia, Pa.
Vallely, Thomas J., tagger, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Walch, Clemence C., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Woodworth, Guy C., laborer (temporary), Middlebury, Vt.

Reinstated.

Brackin, Peter J., meat inspector, New York, N. Y.
Cannon, James R., patrol tagger, Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection).
Eggebrecht, William C. H.. tagger, Milwaukee, Wis.
Espenlaub, David F., meat inspector, Kansas City, Kans.
Howe, Walter E., veterinary inspector, Denver, Colo. (field).
Kramer, Richard H., meat inspector, Kansas City, Kans.
Krause, Clarence A., veterinary inspector, Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection).
Ormord, David W., meat inspector, Chicago, Ill.
Snyder, Alva, meat inspector, Kansas City, Kans.
Streit, John E., tagger, Portland, Oreg.

Promoted.

Brooks, William, unskilled laborer (temporary), Bethesda, Md.
Coulter, Charles M., tagger, Denver, Colo. (meat inspection).
Crist, Frank, unskilled laborer, Bethesda, Md.
Feild, Jennie E., clerk, Washington, D. C.
Floyd, Mrs. Pauline B., clerk, Washington, D. C.
Hardman, Herman L., patrol tagger, Los Angeles, Cal.
Hart, George H., assistant in pathology and bacteriology, Washington, D. C.
Hatchitt, Nina, clerk (stenographer and typewriter), Washington, D. C.
Hufford, Eldo E., patrol tagger, Los Angeles, Cal.
Jacobs, Harry C., clerk, Washington, D. C.
Keene, George W., unskilled laborer, Bethesda, Md.
Kling, Marcus W., clerk (stenographer and typewriter), Washington, D. C.
Lane, Jennie M., clerk, Washington, D. C.
Lee, Oscar R., patrol tagger, Baltimore, Md.
Lucas, Ethel, clerk, Washington, D. C.
Mumm, John, clerk, South St. Paul, Minn.
Parkinson, Mrs. Ernest F., clerk, Washington, D. C.
Phillips, Mrs. Ella M., clerk, Washington, D. C.
Pugh, Andrew D., unskilled laborer, Bethesda, Md.
Simpson, John M., clerk, Washington, D. C.
Sullivan, Etta M., clerk, Washington, D. C.
Thompson, William, veterinary inspector, Mayaguez, P. R.
Thrower, John D., veterinary inspector, Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection).
Von Dorn, Calvin W., clerk, South St. Paul, Minn.
Ward, W. F., scientific assistant in animal husbandry, Auburn, Ala.

Transferred within the Bureau Service.

Ashcroft, William M., meat inspector, Providence, R. I., to Webster, Mass., in charge.
Aufente, John R., veterinary inspector, Lynchburg, Va., to Richmond, Va.
Barker, Leroy W., tagger, Providence, R. I., to Boston, Mass.
Bauer, John M., meat inspector, Richmond, Va., to Baltimore, Md.
Baumann, Ernest H., veterinary inspector, Atlanta, Ga., to Morristown, Tenn., in charge.
Berdan, Augustus, veterinary inspector, Lynchburg, Va., to Newark, N. J.
Birce, Joseph, meat inspector, Chicago, Ill., to Detroit, Mich.
Bryant, Levi, meat inspector, Chicago, Ill., to Kansas City, Kans.
Buckley, Michael J., meat inspector, Chicago, Ill., to Richmond, Va.
Caldwell, G. R., veterinary inspector, Pittsburg, Pa., to Boston, Mass.
Carroll, Edward M., meat inspector, Dayton, Ohio, to Milwaukee, Wis.

Casey, Thomas A., meat inspector, Fort Worth, Tex., to Jacksonville, Ill.

Casserly, Timothy, meat inspector, Jacksonville, Ill., to Fort Worth, Tex.

Chaney, Herbert B., veterinary inspector, Denver, Colo. (meat inspection), to Walla Walla, Wash., in charge.

Copithorn, Harry K., veterinary inspector, New York, N. Y., to Boston, Mass.

Cory, Robert M., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill., to Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection).

Crahan, Thomas W., meat inspector, Chicago, Ill., to Dayton, Ohio.

Cummins, Daniel G., meat inspector, Nebraska City, Nebr., to Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dade, John S., veterinary inspector (temporary), St. Louis, Mo., to Salt Lake City, Utah.

Dickey, Elvon S., veterinary inspector, Sioux City, Iowa, to Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection).

Durfor, Walter, meat inspector, Baltimore, Md., to Philadelphia, Pa.

Fitzgerald, James H., meat inspector, Boston, Mass., to Brightwood, Mass.

Franks, Joseph W., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill., to St. Louis, Mo.

Fritsch, Fred J., meat inspector, Cincinnati, Ohio, to Richmond, Va.

Gagner, Alexander L., meat inspector, New York, N. Y., to Providence, R. I.

Games, William M., veterinary inspector, Oklahoma City, Okla., to Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection).

Gowe, Clarence B., meat inspector, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Nebraska City, Nebr.

Hall, Thomas E., meat inspector, Billings, Mont., to South St. Joseph, Mo.

Hills, John V., veterinary inspector, Lynchburg, Va., to Knoxville, Tenn., in charge.

Hogan, Thomas F., meat inspector, South Omaha, Nebr., to Salt Lake City, Utah.

Hoylman, Adger A., tagger, Pittsburg, Pa., to Chicago, Ill.

Hufford, Eldo E., tagger, La Fayette, Ind., to Los Angeles, Cal.

Kennedy, John A., meat inspector, Chicago, Ill., to Jersey City, N. J.

Kessler, William A., meat inspector, Kansas City, Kans., to El Paso, Tex.

Kilanoski, Samuel P., meat inspector, Kansas City, Kans., to Arkansas City, Kans.

Leary, John W., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill., to Sioux City, Iowa.

Little, Elbert W., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill., to New York, N. Y.

Malone, Edward J., meat inspector, Cincinnati, Ohio, to New York, N. Y.

Maloney, Alfred J., veterinary inspector, Atlanta, Ga., to Cincinnati, Ohio.

Maxson, Rufus Y., stock examiner, Marshalltown, Iowa, to Reno, Nev.

Mead, Rolla N., veterinary inspector, Milwaukee, Wis., to Fort Atkinson, Wis., in charge.

Miller, Archie E., meat inspector, Kansas City, Kans., to Chicago, Ill.

Miller, Arthur W., veterinary inspector, Denver, Colo. (field), to South Omaha, Nebr., in charge yard inspection.

Miller, Harry L., meat inspector, Cleveland, Ohio, to Richmond, Va.

Myer, Elisha, veterinary inspector, Coffeyville, Kans., to Oklahoma City, Okla., in charge.

Nighbert, E. M., veterinary inspector, Atlanta, Ga., to Knoxville, Tenn., in charge of meat inspection in eastern Tennessee.

Ochs, John J., meat inspector, Philadelphia, Pa., to Trenton, N. J.

Palmer, Willis A., meat inspector, El Paso, Tex., to Kansas City, Kans.

Pearson, Albert A., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill., to South Omaha, Nebr.

Perry, F. M., veterinary inspector, Houlton, Me., to Fort Fairfield, Me., in charge.

Pritchard, William T., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill., to South Omaha, Nebr.

Robertson, Andrew, veterinary inspector (temporary), St. Louis, Mo., to Bismarck, N. Dak.

Rogers, Arthur B., veterinary inspector, Kansas City, Kans., to Sioux City, Iowa.

Schell, Gustave A., meat inspector, Arkansas City, Kans., to Kansas City, Kans.

Schmidt, John P., veterinary inspector, Nashville, Tenn., to Pittsburg, Pa.
Schoening, Harry W., veterinary inspector, Chicago, Ill., to Pittsburg, Pa.
Shaffer, Harry L., meat inspector, Philadelphia, Pa., to Baltimore, Md.
Smith, William H., meat inspector, South St. Joseph, Mo., to Billings, Mont.
Sorrell, Walter, veterinary inspector, Savannah, Ga., to New Orleans. La.
Stever, Arthur C., veterinary inspector, Lynchburg, Va., to Newark, N. J.
Waller, Harry N., veterinary inspector, traveling, to Milwaukee, Wis., in charge.
Weihe, Walter E., veterinary inspector, Nashville, Tenn., to South St. Joseph, Mo.
Wilkinson, James O., tagger, Chicago, Ill., to New Orleans, La.
Wood, George W., stock examiner, Chicago, Ill., to Toledo, Ohio.
Yager, Eddie P., veterinary inspector, Lynchburg, Va., to Richmond, Va.
Young, George D., veterinary inspector, Washington, D. C., to Chicago, Ill.

Resigned.

Anderson, William C., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Ballou, Benjamin W., tagger, Milwaukee, Wis.
Browning, George W., veterinary inspector, Nashville, Tenn.
Bundrant, William C., tagger, Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection).
Cravens, Lewis H., veterinary inspector (temporary), Wichita, Kans.
Creech, Gilbert T., stock examiner, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Crumbaugh, Lawrence W., meat inspector, South Omaha, Nebr.
Deen, James, laborer (temporary), Jersey City, N. J.
Fisk, Manuel, meat inspector, Evansville, Ind.
Gitzinger, Charles R., meat inspector, Philadelphia, Pa.
Heldring, J. J. L., veterinary inspector, South St. Paul, Minn.
Hickox, Claude, agent in scabies eradication, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Jacobs, James J., tagger, Philadelphia, Pa.
Jones, Frank F., tagger, Sioux City, Iowa.
Logan, James, agent in scabies eradication, Bismarck, N. Dak.
McCraith, Daniel L., patrol tagger, Boston, Mass.
Martin, Edward P., agent in scabies eradication, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Morgan, John L., meat inspector, National Stock Yards, Ill.
Neal, John T., agent in scabies eradication, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Olmsted, Orrin E. G., stock examiner, Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection).
Payton, John B., tagger, South Omaha, Nebr.
Pratt, Richard T., agent in tick eradication, Lynchburg, Va.
Rath, Frank, meat inspector, Marshalltown, Iowa.
Robinson, Oscar C., tagger, Indianapolis, Ind.
Santee, Ellis M., assistant dairyman, Washington, D. C.
Shoffstall, Albert C., tagger, Philadelphia, Pa.
Simpson, Harry H., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Stone, George W., tagger, Chicago, Ill.
Swaney, Frank C., agent in scabies eradication, Bismarck, N. Dak.
Taylor, Hurd B., tagger, New Orleans, La.
Weaver, Flavus, patrol tagger, National Stock Yards, Ill.
Williams, Herbert S., veterinary inspector (temporary), New York, N. Y.
Woolm, James E., tagger, South Omaha, Nebr.

Services Terminated.

Asher, Henry E., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Barnard, Wirt R., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Baucom, George H., agent in tick eradication, Lynchburg, Va.
Benson, Thomas H., agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).

Berry, James C., agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Bertrand, Charles, agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Blondell, Joseph E., tagger, Baltimore, Md. (died).
Bowers, S. B., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Carlock, L. H., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Chapin, Dwight D., agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Clark, Louis N., agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Clark, W. G., agent in tick eradication, Lynchburg, Va.
Corbin, E. A., agent in scabies eradication, Bismarck, N. Dak.
Covington, T. R., agent in tick eradication, Lynchburg, Va.
Cunningham, Michael F., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Curry, Hugh E., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Davis, J. H., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Deahl, Nestor H., agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Edwards, James H., agent in tick eradication, Lynchburg, Va.
Emonts, Joseph, agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Ewers, Smith V., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Frazier, F. A., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Gallagher, Frank A., agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Gomel, Charles, agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Gorton, Charles T., agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Gourley, Thomas M., agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Hahn, Royal H., agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Harris, Alice V., unskilled laborer, Washington, D. C.
Holbrook, Justin B., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Hollis, Alfred B., veterinary inspector, Kansas City, Kans. (meat inspection) (died).
Jarvis, Daniel A., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Jarvis, G. W., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Johnson, J. D., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Jones, John S., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Kinsey, O., jr., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Kramer, Welker F., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Lamborn, George E., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Linton, Hunter B., clerk, Washington, D. C. (transferred to Forest Service).
Lowrey, Edward H., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Morris, David Karl, agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Niven, J. F., agent in tick eradication, Lynchburg, Va.
Pack, Bennette, agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Pearce, Bart, agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Pine, David B., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Pine, Henry E., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Plyler, P. P. W., agent in tick eradication, Lynchburg, Va.
Richardson, Marvin H., agent in tick eradication, Lynchburg, Va.
Riseling, Frederick, agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Safley, Jesse C., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Shipley, H. R., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Sommers, Frank, agent in tick eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).
Sullivan, Dan C., agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Terry, G. M., agent in scabies eradication, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Thayer, George H., meat inspector, Los Angeles, Cal. (died).
Vance, Arthur, agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Walsh, Daniel J., meat inspector, South Omaha, Nebr. (died).
White, Elmere W., agent in scabies eradication, Kansas City, Kans. (field).

Whitson, M. E., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Williams, J. T., agent in tick eradication, Nashville, Tenn.
Winfree, P. B., agent in tick eradication, Lynchburg, Va.
Winfree, R. N., agent in tick eradication, Lynchburg, Va.
Zimmerman, Asa, agent in scabies eradication, Albuquerque, N. Mex.

Removed.

Crosby, Joseph A., meat inspector, New York, N. Y.
Geddes, George E., meat inspector, Milwaukee, Wis.
Leeper, John C., agent in scabies eradication, Denver, Colo. (field).

CHANGES IN MEAT-INSPECTION DIRECTORY, ETC.

The following changes have been made since those indicated in Service Announcements of October 15, 1907:

Inspection Inaugurated.

No. 125. Hugo Epstein & Co. (Incorporated), 139 West Randolph street, Chicago, Ill.; Dr. S. E. Bennett, inspector in charge.

No. *131. Ignaz Fanz, Jackson avenue, west, Knoxville, Tenn.; Dr. J. V. Hills, inspector in charge.

No. 136. George C. Rath & Sons, Twelfth and Clay streets, Dubuque, Iowa; Dr. W. C. Bower, inspector in charge.

No. 139. Frank & Hoffmann Co., 386 Rice street, St. Paul, Minn.; Dr. F. D. Ketchum, inspector in charge.

No. *143. P. P. Keough & Co., North Main street, Bishop, Cal.; Dr. W. C. Van Allstyne, inspector in charge.

No. *149. F. T. Nance & Co., Morristown, Tenn.; Dr. E. H. Baumann, inspector in charge.

No. 151. George Nye Company, 130 Lyman street, Springfield, Mass.; Dr. H. E. Brown, inspector in charge.

No. 155. Taylor & Crooks, 132 West Second street, Chester, Pa.; Dr. George H. Woolfolk, inspector in charge.

Inspection Discontinued.

No. *207. New England Dressed Meat and Wool Company, Houlton, Me.
No. 490. Goldstein Sausage Company, 239 West Twelfth street, Chicago, Ill.
No. *583. W. M. Akin & Son, 324 Lower Second street, Evansville, Ind.
No. 746. James McKee Sausage Manufacturing Company, 312–314 Broad street, Providence, R. I.
No. 749. S. Diaz, 53 Prospect street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

New Stations.

Bishop, Cal., Dr. W. C. Van Allstyne, care P. P. Keough & Co., inspector in charge.
Chattanooga, Tenn., William Richards, inspector in charge.
Greeneville, Tenn., Dr. J. O. F. Price, inspector in charge.
Knoxville, Tenn., Dr. J. V. Hills, care Ignaz Fanz, inspector in charge.
Morristown, Tenn., Dr. E. H. Baumann, care F. T. Nance & Co., inspector in charge.
Whitesburg, Tenn., Dr. O. W. Everly, inspector in charge.

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* Conducts slaughtering.

Changes in Firm Names.

No. 91. Port Morris Packing House, instead of John Schwenker, New York, N. Y.

No. *101. Schlorer & Zink, instead of Adam Schlorer, Camden, N. J.

No. 209. David Berg & Co., instead of Pan-American Packing Company, Chicago, Ill.

No. *232. Macbeth & Gardner Co., instead of Macbeth & Gardner, Mankato, Minn.

No. *238. La Fayette Packing Co., instead of Kern Packing Company, La Fayette, Ind.

No. 531. Hately Cold Storage Company, Thirty-seventh and Iron streets, instead of Hately Brothers, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Ill.

Change in Inspector in Charge.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dr. H. N. Waller, instead of Dr. A. D. Bullock.

INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING MEAT INSPECTION.

Methods of Marking Fresh Meats.

The attention of the Bureau has been brought to instances where unsatisfactory results have been obtained from the use of rubber and metal brands in the marking of fresh meat at official establishments. The principal causes of dissatisfaction appear to be the illegibility of the marks, caused by the use of too much ink, the careless manner in which the brands are applied, and the lack of uniformity as regards number and position in placing the marks on carcasses.

As results at many establishments demonstrate that when properly applied these brands give perfect satisfaction, Bureau employees supervising the marking of meat are directed to see that the following requirements are followed in every particular:

1. That competent employees are furnished by the establishment to do the branding.
2. That a proper quantity of ink is used.
3. That the ink pads are cleaned thoroughly at least once a week by being soaked in boiling water, to get rid of all grease and other dirt.
4. That the brands are cleaned thoroughly every day.
5. When the metal brand is used, two pieces of felt wrapped in cheese cloth should be used in the branding boxes and the perforated metal shield must be dispensed with, otherwise the metal brand would become worthless in a very short time.
6. That the marks on carcasses are placed in a uniform manner.

Brass stamps are now being prepared to replace the rubber ones in use and will be forwarded as soon as ready. In the meantime inspectors in charge will make every endeavor to have the stamping done as perfectly as possible and to see that the present equipment is kept in good condition.

If proper help is not provided by the establishments for marking meat, the inspectors in charge will at once call upon them for reliable men, and when they fail to provide such help will notify the Washington office.

Inspectors in charge of meat inspection are directed to report to the Chief of the Bureau promptly and fully regarding the marking of fresh meats with the inspection legend and establishment numbers at their respective stations. The reports should state the various marks used and the different pieces and parts to which they are applied, what methods are used for applying these marks, and at what stage in the handling of the meat they are applied, to what extent the marking has been satisfactory, and how many additional Bureau employees would be required if this work should be done by the Bureau instead of by the establishments. Suggestions for the improvement of methods in marking meat are solicited.

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*Conducts slaughtering

The Chamber of Commerce of Washington, D. C., has announced its intention of making an investigation to determine for itself the relative value of a certain label for marking meats and of the stamp now in use. In case inspectors in charge receive from any outside source any request for information along this line they will not give such information, but will refer the applicant to the Chief of the Bureau.

Market Inspection.

In order to provide for the interstate transportation, from public markets and other places, of portions of "U. S. inspected and passed" carcasses, parts, and meat food products, which, when cut or otherwise removed from a marked carcass, part, or container, do not show the inspection mark and could not therefore be identified as having been inspected and passed, market inspection may be furnished. Each city in which market inspection is inaugurated will be assigned a number, and all products forwarded under such inspection shall be marked with the brand or meat-inspection stamp showing the inspection legend and the official market number, the latter being indicated thus: MKT 33.

At the time such unmarked portions are cut from the marked carcass or part, or are removed from the marked container, a Bureau employee shall be present and brand them with the market inspection brand or affix to the container of the product a market inspection stamp. Wherever practicable the brand shall be applied to the meat itself; where this can not be done the stamp shall be affixed to the true container of the meat or meat food product.

All market stalls or other places which are given market inspection shall be maintained in a sanitary condition and shall conform to the requirements of the Department governing the use of drugs, chemicals, dyes, and preservatives.

The following list shows the cities now having market inspection and their respective market numbers:

1. Boston, Mass.
2. New York, N. Y.
3. Philadelphia, Pa.
4. Baltimore, Md.
5. Cincinnati, Ohio.
6. Detroit, Mich.
7. Chicago, Ill.
8. St. Louis, Mo.
9. Quincy, Ill.
10. Portland, Me.
11. Los Angeles, Cal.
12. Seattle, Wash.
13. New Orleans, La.
14. Providence, R. I.
15. South St. Joseph, Mo.
16. South Omaha, Nebr.
17. Davenport, Iowa.
18. Buffalo, N. Y.
19. New Haven, Conn.
20. Washington, D. C.
21. Richmond, Va.
22. Cleveland, Ohio.
23. Louisville, Ky.
24. Portland, Oreg.
25. Springfield, Mass.
26. Milwaukee, Wis.
27. Hartford, Conn.
28. Haverhill, Mass.
29. Jersey City, N. J.
30. Worcester, Mass.
31. Brooklyn, N. Y.
32. Brightwood, Mass.
33. San Francisco, Cal.

Inspection Marks on Cloth Coverings of Export Meats.

The attention of the Bureau has been directed to the fact that at some establishments where Federal inspection is maintained the inspection legend and establishment number are stenciled on the cheese-cloth bags or wrappers in which carcasses or parts are inclosed for export. The application of the inspection legend by a stencil is absolutely forbidden by the regulations, and hereafter inspectors in charge will see that the inspection legend and establishment number are placed on these containers by means of the rubber or metal stamp used for marking carcasses. Meat-inspection stamps will no longer be used on these containers. The ink used for marking meats is not suitable for marking cloth. Black ink made from lampblack should be used.

Stamps and Certificates for Export Products from Other Establishments.

Upon requests from shippers, inspectors in charge will hereafter, without obtaining special authorization from Washington, issue stamps and certificates as may be required for export shipments of meat and meat food products which have originated at establishments not under their supervision, provided the product is first identified as having been "U. S. inspected and passed," and that it is clean, sound, wholesome, and fit for human food.

Wrapping Smoked Meats in Paper Soaked in Pyroligneous Acid.

Smoked meats may be wrapped in paper which has been soaked in pyroligneous acid, provided that both the meats and the paper are dry when the meats are wrapped.

Use of Lungs for Food Purposes.

Inspectors in charge of meat inspection are directed to inform the Washington office promptly to what extent the lungs of hogs and of other animals are used for edible products at establishments under their charge, and whether, in their opinion, any good reasons exist for prohibiting the use of these organs for food purposes.

Hogs' Feet for Food Purposes Must be Cleaned, etc.

Hogs' feet which are to be shipped in interstate trade from official establishments for food purposes must first be thoroughly cleaned and the hoofs removed.

Removal of Feet from Sheep and Goat Carcasses.

In order to improve the sanitary conditions under which meats and meat food products are handled at establishments where inspection is maintained, inspectors will hereafter require that in dressing the carcasses of sheep, lambs, and goats the feet shall be removed from each carcass.

SOUTHERN CATTLE QUARANTINE.

Amendments to Regulations.

Under the provisions of Amendment 2 to B. A. I. Order 143 and Amendment 5 to B. A. I. Order 144, both effective November 15, 1907, shipments of cattle of the modified quarantined area (except those accompanied by certificates of inspection at points of origin showing that they are free from Texas fever infection) are required to be designated by placarding the cars and marking the waybills *during the entire year*, and all cars which have contained such cattle are to be disinfected. Employees who have not received copies of these amendments should obtain them at once and familiarize themselves with their provisions.

Cleaning, Washing, and Disinfecting Cars.

Inspectors in charge of stations where the disinfection of cars is supervised by Bureau employees are reminded that under the regulations the process of cleaning and disinfecting cars that have contained southern cattle includes the washing of the cars, and are instructed to see that this provision of the regulations is complied with, except when severe cold weather renders washing impracticable.

Reporting Violations of Regulations.

In reporting on I. D. Form 61 violations of the regulations in transporting southern cattle a statement should be made as to whether the waybills referred to in the report were "through waybills" accompanying the shipment from origin to destination.

Notice of Shipment of Southern Cattle.

In reporting shipments of southern cattle on I. D. Form 22 to inspectors en route and at destination the exact route to be traversed should be shown, and when such shipments are transferred to other cars within the jurisdiction of a Bureau representative his report on the form above mentioned should show both the new and original car initials and numbers. In all cases this report should be prepared and mailed as promptly as possible in order that it may reach the inspector to whom it is addressed in advance of the shipment.

SHIPMENT OF CATTLE DIPPED FOR OR EXPOSED TO SCABIES.

Cars and other vehicles, pens, sheds, chutes, etc., are not required to be cleaned and disinfected on account of their having contained "dipped scabby cattle" that have been dipped within ten days, or "cattle exposed to scabies" or "uninspected exposed cattle." Provided, that whenever scabies is found to exist in any shipment of cattle, the provisions of Regulation 28, B. A. I. Order 143, shall be rigidly enforced. All cars which have contained shipments designated as above shall be held at points of unloading until the cattle have been inspected.

In order that exposed and recently dipped cattle may be properly yarded in the exposed yards and their identity maintained, arrangements should be made for unloading all such cattle at separate chutes set aside for that purpose.

SUBSTANCES PERMITTED FOR OFFICIAL DIPPING.

The use of the following-named substances is permitted by the Department in the official dipping of sheep for scabies:

"*Chamber's Dip*," a coal-tar creosote dip, manufactured by the Chamber's Stock Powder Company, Bloomington, Ill. Dilution permitted, 1 gallon of Chamber's Dip to 59 gallons of water.

"*Hill's Humane Dip*," a coal-tar creosote dip, manufactured by the Humane Remedy Company, Des Moines, Iowa. Dilution permitted, 1 gallon of Hill's Humane Dip to 54 gallons of water.

"*Perfection Sheep Dip*," a coal-tar creosote dip, manufactured by the Perfection Chemical Company, Flushing, N. Y. Dilution permitted, 1 gallon of Perfection Sheep Dip to 60 gallons of water.

"*Daisy Stock Dip*," a coal-tar creosote dip, manufactured by Daisy Stock Food Company, Atlantic, Iowa. Dilution permitted, 1 gallon of Daisy Stock Dip to 53 gallons of water.

"*Fenylic Dip and Disinfectant*," a coal-tar creosote dip, manufactured by Hunt Manufacturing Company, Cleveland, Ohio. Dilution permitted, 1 gallon of Fenylic Dip and Disinfectant to 50 gallons of water.

"*Verminole Cream Dip*," a coal-tar creosote dip, manufactured by Fairmont Remedy Company, Fairmont, Nebr. Dilution permitted, 1 gallon of Verminole Cream Dip to 57 gallons of water.

"*Germicide Dip*," a coal-tar creosote dip, manufactured by Texas Germicide and Disinfecting Company, Dallas, Tex. Dilution permitted, 1 gallon of Germicide Dip to 58 gallons of water.

"*McConnon's Kre-Ol*," a coal-tar creosote dip, manufactured by McConnon & Co., Winona, Minn. Dilution permitted, 1 gallon of McConnon's Kre-Ol to 53 gallons of water.

Inspectors will not permit the use in official dipping of packages of these dips which are not labeled in accordance with the above specifications, nor will they permit the use in official dipping of any proprietary dip which does not bear the guaranty required of manufacturers by the regulations, B. A. I. Order 143 and amendments thereto, or which in any manner violates the provisions of said regulations or amendments.

LOSS OF BADGES.

It is evident that sufficient importance is not attached to the prevention of loss of official badges. In many instances the wearer has been unable to give an explanation of how the badge was lost, except that he thought it became unfastened or that the fastening was insecure. If the fastening is defective, it is the duty of the employee to call attention to the fact and obtain another badge to replace the defective one, which should be returned to be repaired. Each employee is responsible for his badge and will be required to pay for it should it be lost, unless he can show that the loss was not due to negligence on his part. When an employee has lost his badge, he must forward through the inspector in charge a statement of the facts, in order that it may be determined whether or not he is responsible for the loss, and the inspector in charge should submit his recommendation concerning it.

Payment for a badge should be made by New York bank draft or postal or express money order for $2 in favor of A. Zappone, Chief of Division of Accounts, and should be forwarded to the Washington office through the inspector in charge.

Each employee engaged in carrying out the regulations of the Bureau will be provided with a badge, which he must wear while in the performance of his official duties, and he must exercise due care to guard it from loss or from falling into the hands of unauthorized persons.

When an employee's connection with the service is terminated, the inspector in charge must see that his badge (and any other Government property in his possession) is properly accounted for before final payment of the amount due him is made.

POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS, ETC.

The Civil Service Commission informs the Department that it is in receipt of official information to the effect that Federal employees in the city of Philadelphia have been approached by certain committees in that city, presumably for the purpose of coercing such employees into contributing for campaign purposes. The Commission requests that the attention of officers and employees in Philadelphia be called to the following provision in section 2, clause 2, paragraph 5 of the civil-service act:

"That no person in the public service is for that reason under any obligations to contribute to any political fund, or to render any political service, and that he will not be removed or otherwise prejudiced for refusing to do so."

The Secretary of Agriculture directs that employees of this Bureau be notified that they are under no obligation to contribute to any political fund, to render any political service, or to give information with reference to their positions, salaries, etc., which may be called for from unofficial sources.

VERIFICATION OF SUPPLIES.

In cases where stations receive supplies of any character the description of which does not exactly tally with the description shown on the invoice or notice of their shipment, an immediate report of the discrepancy should be sent to the Washington office. This applies particularly to meat-inspection stamps, as it appears that errors in reporting serial letters and numbers are made either in shipping stamps or in invoicing them. In case stamps are received in advance of the invoice the latter should be checked against the station record of stamps actually received.

INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING CORRESPONDENCE AND FILES.

Correction.—In the book of "Instructions concerning official correspondence and files," page 10, No. 79 should read "Force at Knoxville, Tenn.," instead of Marshalltown, Iowa, as the latter comes under No. 224.

Additional Subjects for Letter Files.

Numerical List.

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PUBLICATIONS DURING OCTOBER.

[Publications intended for employees are sent in bulk to inspectors in charge at the different stations, and no mailing list of individual employees is kept. Owing to the limited editions and the large number of Bureau employees, as a rule only sufficient copies are sent to supply the veterinarians. Inspectors in charge will therefore see that the veterinary inspectors are first supplied, and if more copies are received than are necessary for this purpose the excess may be distributed to others. Requests from employees for publications of value or assistance to them in the discharge of their official duties will be complied with as far as practicable. Regulations will be supplied to inspectors in charge as freely as may be required for official use.]

Circular 23 (third revision). Directions for the Use of Blackleg Vaccine. By Victor A. Nörgaard; revised by John R. Mohler. Pp. 8, figs. 3.

Circular 116. Notes on Parasitic Nematodes, including Descriptions of New Genera and Species, and Observations on Life Histories. By B. H. Ransom. Pp. 7.

Circular 117. A City Milk and Cream Contest as a Practical Method of Improving the Milk Supply. By C. B. Lane. Pp. 28.

Amendment 1 to Rule 3, Revision 1 (B. A. I. Order 146). To Prevent the Spread of Scabies in Sheep.

Notice Regarding Interstate Movement of Horses, Mules, and Asses Affected with Glanders.

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